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SUBJECT: GDR PIPELINE TO BERLIN

REF: A) BERLIN 1300

B) BERLIN 1306

1. ACCORDING TO SENAT CHANCELLERY DIRECTOR PETER HERZ, SENAT PLANS TO REJECT GDR ATTEMPT TO GET SENAT BACK INTO DIRECT NEGOTIATIONS ABOUT OIL PIPELINE (REF A). AT MEETING WITH MITDANK PLANNED FOR AUGUST 6, SENAT REP WILL NOT RAISE OIL PIPELINE ISSUE AND, IF MITDANK REQUESTS ANSWER TO MEMO HE READ AT JULY 26 MEETING, SENAT REP WILL REFER TO SENAT JULY 12 STATEMENT AND TELL HIM THAT SUCH POINTS SHOULD BE DISCUSSED NOT WITH SENAT BUT RATHER WITH COMPANIES INVOLVED (I.E., SHELL
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AND REX, REPRESENTING OIL COMPANIES, RE RECEIPT

OF PRODUCTS AND BERLIN ENERGY CONSULTING FIRM RE
PIPELINE AND REFINERY CONSTRUCTION). SENAT REP WILL
ALSO SAY IT IS CUSTOMARY UNDER INTERNATIONAL PRACTICE
FOR SUCH ARRANGEMENTS TO BE NEGOTIATED WITH COMPANIES
INVOLVED. SENAT WILL GIVE MITDANK MEMO TO THESE
COMPANIES AND SUGGEST THEY DISCUSS SUBSTANCE WITH
EAST GERMANS.

2. HERZ MADE NO MENTION OF ROLE OF INTER-ZONAL TRADE
OFFICE SUGGESTED IN SENAT JULY 12 STATEMENT, PERHAPS
BECAUSE OF UNCERTAINTY CONCERNING FUTURE OF THAT
OFFICE (REF B).BORG

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